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in re Application of:)
KEISUKE MATSUO et al.	: Examiner: A. Vo
Application No.: 10/667,314	: Group Art Unit: 2861)
Filed: September 23, 2003	;)
For: TANK HOLDER, LIQUID TANK AND TANK ATTACHING AND DETACHING METHOD	:) :) : Monday, October 3, 2005

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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated May 2, 2005 for two months from August 2, 2005 to Monday, September 3, 2005.

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Submitted herewith is a check for \$450.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, CA office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

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